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AMEMBASSY BELGRADE  
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TAGS: TECH, ENRG, NMUC, PARM

SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE EVALUATION:  
-- INTERIM PRESS GUIDANCE

1. WASHINGTON AGENCIES HAVE BEGUN TO GET SOME INQUIRIES  
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FROM JOURNALISTS ABOUT PLANS FOR ORGANIZING CONFERENCE.  
THIS MESSAGE SETS OUT RESPONSE WE INTEND TO GIVE, FOR THE  
TIME BEING, TO SUCH INQUIRIES, AND ADDRESSEES ARE RE-  
QUESTED TO TAKE SIMILAR LINE IN EVENT THEY RECEIVE QUES-  
TIONS FROM PRESS. BEGIN FYI. PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL  
NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE EVALUATION WAS ANNOUNCED BY THE PRESIDENT  
LAST APRIL, AND WE HAVE SINCE HAD DISCUSSIONS WITH A NUM-  
BER OF COUNTRIES ABOUT IT. THIS IS PRESUMABLY ALREADY  
WELL KNOWN TO NUMBER OF JOURNALISTS. HOWEVER, WE DO NOT  
WISH TO ATTRACT ANY MEDIA PLAY TO PROPOSED OCTOBER 19-21  
ORGANIZING CONFERENCE AT THIS TIME, SINCE WE DO NOT YET  
HAVE FORMAL RESPONSES FROM CERTAIN KEY COUNTRIES, INCLUDING  
FRANCE AND SOVIET UNION. END FYI.

2. IF ASKED ABOUT INFCE, WASHINGTON AGENCIES WILL RESPOND  
TO JOURNALISTS AS FOLLOWS: PRESIDENT CARTER PROPOSED LAST  
APRIL AN INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE EVALUATION.

SINCE THEN WE HAVE HAD DISCUSSIONS WITH MORE THAN THIRTY  
COUNTRIES THAT HAVE A MAJOR INTEREST IN NUCLEAR ENERGY,  
INCLUDING THE SIX OTHER LONDON SUMMIT COUNTRIES. WE HAVE  
RECEIVED BROAD INDICATIONS OF INTEREST IN PARTICIPATION

IN THE INFCE, INCLUDING FROM THE SUMMIT COUNTRIES. OUR  
DISCUSSIONS ARE STILL CONTINUING, BUT NO FINAL DECISIONS  
HAVE BEEN TAKEN.

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